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IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 2, lines 23 to 28, replace the description of the drawings with the following amended description.

Fig. 1 shows a suspension for a hearing aid receiver and,

Fig. 2 shows a part of a hearing aid with the shell partially removed so that the suspension for the microphone is visible $[-]_{\underline{\cdot}}$

Fig. 3 is a sectional view through the bellows part of the microphone suspension shown in fig. 2 as seen along line 3-3 in Fig. 4, and

Fig. 4 is a side view of the bellows part of the microphone suspension in fig_Fig. 2.

Page 2, line 32 to page 4, line 6, replace the paragraph with the following amended paragraph.

The suspension in-fig Fig. 1 is a receiver suspension, and it has an opening 3, which is supposed to receive a sound conveying pipe which guides the sound toward the ear. An outwardly directed flange 2 surrounds the opening 3 and may be held in place by suitable fastening means within the shell of the hearing aid. At the other end, the suspension is shaped to fit snuggly around the snout part of a hearing aid receiver (not shown). Between the flange part 2 and the receiver end the suspension 1 is shaped as a pipe-like structure which has alternating wide

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and narrow parts. A wide part 4 is show shown in the middle between two narrow part-parts 5,6.